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Application of: Schneider and Klein

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FAMILY PATHWAY AS A METHOD
OF TREATING HBV INFECTION
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action
mailed May 9, 2001, be extended for a period of 3 months from August 9, 2001 up to and
including November 9, 2001.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$920.00. Please charge the
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